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In re U.S. Patent Application of

HASHIBA et al.

Application Number: 10/567,031

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For: PACKAGING APPARATUS, MEASURING AND
PACKAGING APPARATUS, AND METHOD FOR
PACKAGE (AS AMENDED)

Attorney Docket No. MIYG.0002

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Total Claims	18	20	XXX (Over 20)	x \$50	0
Independent Claims	2	2	XXX (Over 3)	x \$210	0
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)				+ \$370	0
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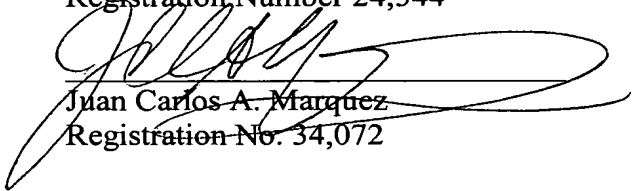
In addition, the below-identified communications are submitted in the above-captioned application or proceeding:

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| [x] Response to Office Action
(w/claim amendments) | [] Petition for Extension of Time (4 months) |
| [] Substitute Specification | [] Terminal Disclaimer |
| [] Preliminary Amendment | [] Letter to Draftsperson w/ __ sheets of
replacement drawings |
| [] Information Disclosure Statement
w/PTO Form 1449 & refs. | [] Request for Continued Examination |

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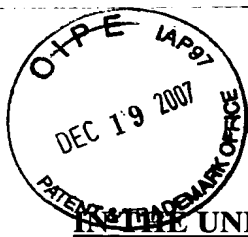
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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on September 19, 2007, the period of response to which is set to expire on December 19, 2007. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows: